SAGE'S VEST

following him. I was glad to see Mr

"Yes."

"When the explosion came I was standing leaning on the upright desk. There was a flash and a shock. I was dazed. The desk went down in a heap, and I was sitting on the debris. Laidlaw lay across my ankies. I stood up and stooping took him by the head and raised him up. He wanted to go out but I said: Don't do that; I'm afraid you will get in danger. Go into my private office.

like myself."
"So you raised Laidlaw up by the head?" queried Choate in a peculiar nasal drawl, which expresses astonishment, increduilty and triumph, all to-

ment, incredulity and triumph, all together.

Mr. Sage reaffirmed this proposition, and Mr. Choate, with a fine expression of injury, demanded:

"Don't you know that Laidiaw weighed 185 pounds at that time?"

Choate paused and eyed the long, thin form of Uncle Russell, every line of which speaks of age and feebleness. Choate waited until every juror had done the same thing before he turned his questions to another subject.

He placed a map in Mr. Sage's hands, it was a diagram of Mr. Sage's office, prepared at Mr. Sage's direction by an engineer, and Mr. Choate asked:

"Now, Mr. Sage, won't you just reconcile your testimony just given as to localities with that diagram."

Mr. Sage couldn't do it, apparently, and Mr. Choate asked, with provoking good nature:

"Don't you have to 'straddle' there.

"Why was the diagram made with an error; do you know?" asked Choate.
Mr. Bage didn't, and he denied that a pencil, made cross that had been eased, in one corner of the room was put there by him to indicate where Norcross stood. He didn't know what that and a score of other marks, since "Who was your tailor, Mr. Sage?" erased, had been made on the diagram for.

for, and the form of the form "Who made the suit you had on the day of the explosion?" Where? Is he there now?"

"Where? Is he there now?"
"Oh, no."
"Where has he gone to?"
"Where has he gone to?"
"He's gone to heaven, I hope—and believe," replied Uncle Russell solemnly,
which tickled the crowd that occupied
every inch of the standing room.
The imperturbable Choate held up a
vest. It was worn by Sage the day of
the visit of the bomb-thrower.
"You brought this down here to show
the perforations where particles went
through and burned your flesh when the
bomb was thrown?" he asked.
"Well, they're there. They are facts."
Mr. Sage replied next that the vest had
not been re-lined.
"How? Then how does it happen that

front of the yest show that you were not behind Laidjaw—now tell me how you explain these coat talls?"
If don't know Only one of the vaga-ries, the eccentricities, of electricity, I suppose.

ries, the eccentricities, of electricity, I suppose."

"And you settled gently down on the debris when this happened?" asked Choate, slowly, indicating the "settling" process with his hand.

"Oh, well, I was unconscious for about two seconds, and"— "Ah, that's what I want." exclaimed Choate, tossing the old clothes away. "Now tell me how you know whether you were unconscious two seconds or two hours?"

"I know I thought I had been unconscious about two seconds."

Mr. Choate, testing Mr. Sage's memory, wanted him to tell how many Missouri Pacific bonds he owned Dec. 4, 1891, the day of the dynamite explosion. Mr. Sage couldn't tell within \$200,000 worth, and Mr. Choate asked quizically:

"Is that because you have too little."

zically;
"Is that because you have too little memory or too many bonds?"
"I am thankful that I was possessed of so much self polse that I could control my emotions before the dynamite bomb-thrower," said Mr. Sage, later on. Then he said he had no emotions because he didn't believe there was ten pounds of dynamite in the bag, and didn't know that it would have such power.

"Besides, if the crank dropped the bag as he threatened, it would kill him, too, and I didn't believe he'd do it. I thought he was only a blackmailer, any-

sa he threatened, it would kill him too, and I didn't believe he'd do it, it thought he was only a blackmailer, any way."

Mr. Choate wound up the cross-examination by trying to get Mr. Sage to admit he was so excited when Norcross called that he didn't know what he did, but the old man insisted that he was perfectly calm; that he parleyed with the crank because he was thinking of Laidlaw, Norton and all his office-clerks and how to save them.

"Then why didn't you say quietly to Laidlaw and Norton, 'Gentlemen, please step into my office; I have business with this gentleman?" demanded Choate.

"Because if I did then the crank would drop the bag and they and I and all of us would be killed and the building shattered."

"That's all." said Choste. The redirect examination of Mr. Sage, the principal fact brought out after recess.

Col. James asked only a half-dozen questions in re-direct examination of Mr. Sage, the principal fact brought out after the explosion, and that Mr. Sage expended no muscular effort in lifting his to take the summary of the parley of the bead was bandaged, his face badly burned, and scarred; his hands burned and colothing torn. He was removed to his home. There Dr. Munn examined him. His hair had been burned off. So were his explosion. His hands band applanes. There were many small wounds on his face, head and neck, and many burns. His right hand had been struck between the middle and ring linger, leaving a wound that reached an lnch up the back of the hand and many burns. His right hand had been struck between the middle and ring linger, leaving a wound that reached in he palm. There were other similar wounds, and the back of the hand and in the palm. There were other similar wounds, and the back of the hand and in the palm. There were other similar wounds, and the back of the hand and in the palm. There were other similar wounds, and the back of the hand and the palm. There were other similar wounds, and the back of the hand and the palm. There were other similar wounds, and the back of

vere, sounds.

'Mr. Sage's shirtbosom was perforated parent many places," said Dr. Munn.

Breat many places," said Dr. Munn.

Harry—Why, I heard that he shot himself in the foot.

Chick—Nothing, there was a wound on the abdomen laps one-quarters inch in diameter three-quarters of an inch deep.

knees, penetrating wounds and abrasions."

Under cross-examination Dr. Munn admitted that the burns on Mr. Sage did not go clear through the layers of ekin. After Mr. Choate had done with Dr. Munn the irrepressible second juror wanted to ask him as a scientist if the burns in the palms of Mr. Sage's hands could have got there while his hands clasped the body of Laidlaw.

Col. James said he was willing to hear the reply, but Mr. Choate said this was the very question to be decided by the jury, and Justice Patterson so ruled.

Frank Robinson, a clerk for Imbry & Co. brokers, reached the office of Russell Sage, 71 Hrondway, at the moment when Norcross was making his negotiations for a loan of \$1,200,000. He described the relative positions and the postures of the four persons inside the office railing—Sage, Norcross, Lakilaw and Norton.

RECEIVER GRANT WILL SUE.

To Bring Action for the Recovery of Losses.

Receiver Grant, of the St. Nicholas Bank, has announced his intention to bring actions against the individuals and firms whose collateral was sold the other day.

The interesting feature of the publication to he lawyers was the announcement that Col. Kearney had been served, while in court, with the summons and complaint in an action pending in the Supreme Court in Wayne County. Ex-Surrogate Ransom, one of the coursel, said to the Surrogate:

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He will endeavor to recover the differ-ence between the proceeds of the securi-ties and the amount represented in the

TO INDICT OFFICIALS.

Handed in To-Night.

NEWARK, N. J., March 29.-It is said that when the Grand Jury hands in in- in the Cornell hazing case, taken before dictments to Judge Depue to-night there the Grand Jury; also to certify and will be a number against several public present it to him.

officers of this city, who are charged "I will then see," he said, "what

Herbert H. Steele, at present serving a three year term in the Charlestown (Mass.) State Prison

by the Grand Jury to-day against Michael Mullen and Fred Johnson, of 2 Goerck street; Thomas Welch, of 16 Morris and 35 Washington streets; Welfen, of 10 Morris and 25 Washington afrees; Samuel Liebman, two cases, of 138 Monroe atreet; William Kelly, of 109 West Forty-sixth street; John Denning and Matthew Egan, of 34 South street; Edward Colton, of 41 Jackson street, and Charles Dufour, of 50 Rutgers street.

Republican Leaders Have a Caucus NEWARK, N. J., March 29.-The Republican oon, and decided not to change the date of the election, because it would cause so much com-plication. They also decided to amend the Freeholders' bill so that there will be (westy-due representatives in the county instead of twelve, as at present.

Strike of 10,000 Cokemen Ordered. (By Associated Press.)

Councilsville region was ordered to-day by the Executive Committee of the United Mine Worksers, to go into effect next Monday.

Partridge Case Adjourned. The hearing of the case of Bookmaker Partridge, Maurice Meyer, in the Pulitzer Building, this afternoon, was adjourned by mutual consent of counsel to April 16, at 2 P. M., in Referee Meyer's office.

left hand had similar, though less hunting the other day. What did he

County Suit Was Withdrawn.

Before Surrogate Arneld.

day before Surrogate Arnold. The case of the contestants was closed yesterday,

specification for a loon of 11-2000, the postures of the four prevails and postures of the four prevails and several witnesses were called by office, railing-Sage, Norcross, Lailian and the broken of the witness stand the

JUDGE FORBES GETS ANGRY.

Says He'll Jail Cornell Students Till They Will Testify.

(By Associated Press.) ITHACA, March 28.-When court was called to order this morning, Judge Forbes instructed the stenographer to make a transcript of Taylor's evidence

right another Judge has to interfere with the business of this court. I am determined to see that there is no miscarriage of justice in this case, and do not propose to be interfered with in the discharge of my duty.

"It is your duty, Mr. District-Attorney, to arrest these men if the evidence warrants it. This court has been trified with long enough. If the witnesses refuse to testify before me, and if we have not jails enough in Tompkins County in which to confine them, and they continue to refuse to open their mouths, we will send them to prison and keep them there until they will testify." right another Judge has to interfere

Accounting for \$90,000.

(Hy Associated Press.) LIMA, O., March 29.-B. C. Faurot. late President of the Lima National issuing a circular letter to the stockholders of the bank, accompanied by a tabulated statement to back up his charges, that he is unable to get an accounting from the Government for near-

HIS EIGHT CHILDREN BURNED

UNIONTOWN, Pa., March 29.—A general strike home in ashes, and that his eight chil-of the 10,000 coke-workers and miners of the dren and the hired girl had been con-

But the Service in the Wayne Gravesend List of Voters May McKane's Report Accounts for Bears Thought There Would Be Shrink from 6,500 to 2,000. \$12,000 More Than Issued.

Continuation of the Will Contest New Election Officials Chosen to Discovery That He Owes \$25,000 Heavy Stock Buying Now Looked Unpaid Taxes.

and Registration To-Day.

Replace Convicted Men.

While 168 Feet High, Harris Learns His Ladder Is Rotten.

Slides to the Ground.

Another new discovery made by the Committee, which was announced to day, was that in unpaid taxes John Y. McKane owes the town of Gravesend \$25,000.

NEWARK, N. J., March 29,—Joseph Harris, a professional chimney cleaner, is still nervous from an exciting experience of yesterday. He was employed by the Domestic Sewing Machine Company to repair their main chimney. The chimney is 168 feet high and Harris gained the top by means of ladders, which were fastened to the outside of the structure. After finishing his work Harris started to descend, and when he had placed his feet on the top ladder he felt it giving away and he grabbed the top of the chimney. He then dis-

covered that the top ladder was rotten, and that to step on it meant to be hurled to the ground below.

The only alternative seemed to be to try and descend on the inside of the chimney. He succeeded in getting down about forty feet, when he became no nearly overcome by the gas and smoke that he had to stop. With great exertions he was able again to reach the top of the chimney. He then thought of a bail of twine he had in his pocket, and he lowered one end of it, attached to a piece of brick, to the ground. Workmen attached a rope to it attached to a piece of brick, to the ground. Workmen attached a rope to the twine and it was drawn to the top and run down on the other side. While, a number of men held one end of the rope, Harris slid down on the other side to the ground. He was so greatly exhausted by his efforts and the suspense, that he had to be carried to his home.

ON HIS POST.

The property of The Illustrated American Publishing Company was sold at auction to-day at the publication office, 5 East Sixteenth street, for \$9.58\$. It was purchased by representatives of the stockholders. Publication will continue as usual. The sale was brought about by a foreclosure to protect bondholders.

(From Life.)

"Wonderful country!" exclaimed the "Do you love the beauties of nature, the publication office, the publication of the stockholders, and the publication of the stockholders. The sale was brought about by a foreclosure to protect bondholders. "Wonderful country!" exclaimed the

KEARNEY SERVED IN COURT. NO M'KANE IN THIS. THEY FIND TOO MANY BONDS. RAID FOLLOWS THE VETO.

Lawyer George F. Elliott announced Frederick A, Lovecraft was resumed to- Citizens' League Supervises Voting to-day that the Citizens' Committee investigating the financial af-

to various lieutenants and accounted for it by claiming its expenditure was made for searching titles.

The accounts show altogether that McKane drew \$251,489 and expended \$251,489 from the common lands fund, but there is not a single voucher for it, and the requisitions investigated by the Committee show fraud through and through.

By McKane's report the Committee and the expert have learned the amount of money McKane paid his friends. Newton in one item, besides drawing in fees as a police justice something like \$6,000 for a year, also received \$2,193 as counsel for the Town Board, and George W. Roderick received \$3,250 for similar services.

Newton, as a member of the Board, could not legally have acted as its counsel, but, nevertheless, he was paid as such, and the town Board of Audit, it is said, may be held accountable for such irregularities in passing the accounts.

the Buffalo Express.

The fakir reached down into his

satchel and pulled out a square paper parcel which was crisscrossed in all directions by red string. He held it up before the crowd and said: "You see HIS EIGHT CHILDREN BURNED

Treville Grief Overtakes a West

Virginia Watchman.

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CHARLESTOWN, W. V., March B.—

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A special from Hinton says that at Method to the Method to th that I have here an ordinary paper parcel. There is nothing of particular value in this parcel. You will notice also that

Childish Innocence.

Realizing on the Good News.

For at Home and Abroad.

Cleveland had vetoed the Bland Seignlorage bill was the signal for a raid who proceeded on the theory that those Amer Tob. pt... who bought stocks at the beginning of Amer. Sugar Ref.

lation underwent a marked change for the better, and an advance of 1-4 to 11-2 per cent, ensued.

Money remains unchanged at 1 per cent, on call. Time loans are 2 a 3 per cent, for thirty days to seven months, the steriling exchange market was weak at 4.56 l-2 a 4.58 3-4 for bankers 60-day bills and 4.87 3-4 a 4.88 for demand The steriling exchange market was weak at 4.56 l-2 a 4.89 3-4 for bankers 60-day bills and 4.87 3-4 a 4.88 for demand The supply of security bills against foreign purchases is fair.

The volume of trading was light late in the day and the fluctuations were confined within narrow limits. The bears renewed their assaults upon the market and succeeded in depresing the list 1-4 to 1 3-4 per cent. From the best figures of the morning.

Atchison, Louisville and Chicago Gas led the downward movement. Near the close there was a raily of 1-8 to 1-2 per cent.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the New York, Ontario & Western Railway Company, held this afternoon, the resignation of Mr. Charles J. Russell, of London, from the Bbard, was accepted, and H. W. Cannon, President of the Chase National Bank, was elected to fill the vacancy.

A report was current to-day that the Oregon Navigation stock had passed into the control of Russell Sage and others through a transfer of loans.

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At the Linion Pacific office, in Boston, for the Oregon Short Line collateral trust 5 per cent.

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The sales of stocks were 172,800 shares in the unlisted department 10,300 shares of Sugar and 7,200 Lead were traded in.

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for wheat would show a decided ad- Union Pacific ... disappointed when the market opened nearly 1-2c. lower on better wenther reports. May selling at 63 5-8c, and Chicago at sling down to 60 1-4c. for May, against 62 5-8c, at the close yesterday, but this heavy decline was followed by some reaction.

Corn was about 1-8c, lower, opening here at 31 1-18c, for May, and at Chicago at 37 7-8c. Oats were about 1-8c, lower July selling here at 35c, and May at Chicago at 31 3-8c.

Cotton was decidedly better to-day on a sharp improvement at Liverpool, and sharp improvement at Liverpool, and

Cotton was decidedly better to-day on a sharp improvement at Liverpool, and there was general advance here of the was taught me by Sig. Biltz, the world renowned magician. It is a trick which, although simple in itself, is mystifying in the extreme, and which can always be used to entertain a gathering," says Coffee opened 5 to 10 points flow to the prices. Receipts between the content of the

Coffee opened 5 to 10 points lower on weaker Havre sales, including July at 15.46; September, 14.85, and December, 14.25.

Wall Street Notes. Wall Street Notes.

The February report of the Fennavivania shows that carnings on all lines east of Pittsburg and Erie, as compared with the same month in 1893, show a decrease in gross earnings of \$1.0717; a decrease in expenses of \$1.016.077; a decrease in net earnings of \$110.630. All lines west of Pittsburg and Erie for February 1894, as compared with the same month in 1891, show a decrease in gross earnings of £143.277; a decrease in expenses of \$479.592; a decrease in capeness of \$479.592; a decrease in capeness of \$479.592; a decrease in expenses of \$479.592; a decrease in capeness of \$479.592; a decrease in expenses of \$479.5

Ings of 163,684.

The February statement of the Burlington & Quincy shows a net surplus of 574,802, a decrease of 141,123 compared with the corresponding period last year.

The February statement of the Reading Rail-roads shows a deficit of 1419,801, against 1812,431 distinct year, and the Coal & From Company a deficit of 1214,728, against 1309,222 last year.

Horn Silver, Burney & Coal & From Company have.

belief that the veto will induce buying
by European and home investors.

The principle of sound currency being
firmly established will imbue holders of
securities with fresh courage, and this,
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108 ought to lead to a further improvement in values.

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tional institutions, among them Center College, but he had never been a teacher except in a law school in which he lec-tured.

"Do you know the plaintiff?"
"I do."

First Meeting with the Plaintiff.

"When did you first meet her?"

"In the Spring of 1884. It was a cool
morning on a train between Lexington
and Frankfort. I had an overcoat on
the back seat of the car, and as I passed
down the alisie to get it she accosicu me
in a perfectly proper way. I said, I
be appose I ought to know you, but young
people grow up so on us we forget their
people grow up so on us we forget their
rate, faces, She said, I am Madeline Breckinridge Pollard, that her father admired my father, that if she had been
a boy he would have named her John
to, C. As it was, he gave her the middle
mame of Breckinridge. She said she
was going to a sister, who was dying
of consumption. I expressed my sympathy, and passed on.
"When did you next meet her."
"I do not remember exactly. I reto, cleved a letter from her. I have lost that
letter, but the substance of it was a reply was that it would call on her at the collexe on some business of great importance to her. The substance of my reply was that it would be inconvenient
for me to call at the college, but if I
could give her any advice I would be
glad to do so, and if she was in Lexington, she might call."
"Did you receive another letter."
"I did."

That Disputed Letter Again.

"Is this the letter?" asked Mr. Butter-worth, handing up the black-bordered epistle, which the plaintiff denies writ-ing.

Glad to Pause and Rest.

Glad to Pause and Rest.

As the argument was taken up Col.
Breckinridge sank back into a chair,
apparently glad of an opportunity to
rest. His face was flushed, and while
testifying his eyes frequently roved over
towards Madeline Pollard, or swept bey
yond her to the background of eager,
gaping men but for the most part is
the had leaned forward with right hand
the h

SUMMONS FOR PAXTON.

Lawyer Steinert, counsel to the Health Department this morning procured a summons from the Seventh Judicial Paxton, who neglected to file in the specified time with the Health D ment, the marriage certificate of Col Breckinridge and Mrs. Wing. Judge Kean issued the summons. The counsel for the Health Department will

Paxton returns to the city. Lawyer Steinert holds that Dr. Paxton will have to pay a \$10 fine.

If he should fall to pay it a body execution will be issued. New Company for the 69th. Gov. Flower has directed Lieut. Mo-Crystal to organize a company at once to be attached to the Sixty-ninth Bat-

talion. Gen. Fitzgerald received orders to that effect on Saturday last, from Gen. Porter.

hold the summons for execution until De.

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